## **Agricultural Research and Extension Service**

STARS Number & Budget Unit: 514 EDHA Bill Number & Chapter: H469 (Ch. 365)

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Agricultural Research and Cooperative Extension Service (ARES) scientists conduct research on the UI campus and at nine centers across the state to ensure that Idaho agriculture remains productive and profitable. Results of that research, as well as family and consumer services, are then delivered to the agricultural community and citizens of Idaho through extension offices located in 42 of Idaho's 44 counties.

DIVISION SUMMARY:	FY 2002 Total Appr	FY 2002 Actual	FY 2003 Total Appr	FY 2004 Request	FY 2004 Gov Rec	FY 2004 Approp
BY FUND SOURCE						
General	24,525,700	23,983,500	23,316,400	23,940,900	23,648,600	23,816,600
Dedicated	397,300	305,700	322,000	318,000	318,500	318,000
Federal	5,955,200	4,803,600	5,755,400	4,599,500	4,607,000	4,599,500
Total:	30,878,200	29,092,800	29,393,800	28,858,400	28,574,100	28,734,100
Percent Change:		(5.8%)	1.0%	(1.8%)	(2.8%)	(2.2%)
BY EXPENDITURE CLASSI	FICATION					
Personnel Costs	0	24,768,100	0	0	0	0
Operating Expenditures	0	3,116,500	0	0	0	0
Capital Outlay	0	1,208,200	0	0	0	0
Lump Sum	30,878,200	0	29,393,800	28,858,400	28,574,100	28,734,100
Total:	30,878,200	29,092,800	29,393,800	28,858,400	28,574,100	28,734,100
Full-Time Positions (FTP)	409.24	413.58	388.58	369.53	367.92	369.53

DECISION UNIT SUMMARY:	FTP	General	Dedicated	Federal	Total
FY 2003 Original Appropriation	388.58	23,316,400	318,000	4,599,500	28,233,900
Reappropriations	0.00	0	4,000	1,155,900	1,159,900
Move FY02 Carryover to Lump Sum	0.00	0	0	0	0
FY 2003 Total Appropriation	388.58	23,316,400	322,000	5,755,400	29,393,800
Expenditure Adjustments	(19.05)	0	0	0	0
FY 2003 Estimated Expenditures	369.53	23,316,400	322,000	5,755,400	29,393,800
Removal of One-Time Expenditures	0.00	0	(4,000)	(1,155,900)	(1,159,900)
FY 2004 Base	369.53	23,316,400	318,000	4,599,500	28,233,900
Personnel Cost Rollups	0.00	291,100	3,400	45,700	340,200
Nonstandard Adjustments	0.00	160,000	0	0	160,000
Fund Shifts	0.00	49,100	(3,400)	(45,700)	0
FY 2004 Maintenance (MCO)	369.53	23,816,600	318,000	4,599,500	28,734,100
Lump-Sum or Other Adjustments	0.00	0	0	0	0
FY 2004 Total Appropriation	369.53	23,816,600	318,000	4,599,500	28,734,100
Change From FY 2003 Original Approp. % Change From FY 2003 Original Approp.	(19.05) (4.9%)	500,200 2.1%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	500,200 1.8%

APPROPRIATION HIGHLIGHTS: This appropriation is a 2.1% General Fund increase over last year's budget. As with all state agencies, this appropriation includes funding for personnel benefit increases. No funding was provided for inflationary increases or Change in Employee Compensation (CEC) although compensation increases may be funded with agency salary savings wherever possible. The money provided for Nonstandard Adjustments will support the presence of county agents in the current 42 counties, and go toward maintaining facilities and infrastructure at the nine research & extension centers across the state. Unlike all other state agencies, ARES must maintain their facilities entirely from its appropriation since it receives no support from the Permanent Building Fund for those expenses. A Fund Shift moves the MCO increases from the non-increasing federal and dedicated funds onto the General Fund.

LEGISLATIVE INTENT: This is a lump sum appropriation. Provided certain conditions are met, unspent and unencumbered FY 2003 money can be carried over into FY 2004. This intent is consistent with the intent granted to other higher education appropriations.

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FY 2004 APPROPRIATION:	FTP	Pers. Cost	Oper Exp	Cap Out 1	Γ/B Pymnts	Lump Sum	<u>Total</u>
G 0001-00 General	369.53	0	0	0	0	23,816,600	23,816,600
D 0349-00 Miscellaneous Rev	0.00	0	0	0	0	181,900	181,900
D 0660-05 Equine Education	0.00	0	0	0	0	136,100	136,100
F 0348-00 Federal Grant	0.00	0	0	0	0	4,599,500	4,599,500
Totals:	369.53	0	0	0	0	28.734.100	28.734.100